

BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2007-86-T – ORDER NO. 2007-379
MAY 23, 2007

IN RE:	Application of Low Country Medical)	ORDER APPROVING
	Transport, Inc., 61 Hickory Hill Road, Post)	AMENDMENT TO
	Office Box 912, Varnville, South Carolina)	CERTIFICATE
	29944-0912 (District 2) for a Class C Non-)	
	Emergency Certificate of Public Convenience)	
	and Necessity.)	

This matter comes before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the Commission) by way of the request of Low Country Medical Transport, Inc. (Low Country Medical or the Applicant) filed April 26, 2007, whereby the Applicant seeks approval of an amendment to Class C Non-Emergency Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 7798. Low Country Medical requests approval of a change in the area to be served under the authority of such Certificate.

A review of the docket file reveals that Certificate No. 7798 was issued to Low Country Medical pursuant to Commission Order No. 2007-211, dated April 3, 2007, which granted the Applicant authority to render motor passenger service. Currently, Low Country Medical's authority to provide passenger service (Certificate No. 7798) reads as:

...to furnish passenger service...as follows:

Between Points and Places in Hampton, Allendale, Colleton, Barnwell, Jasper, Bamberg, Beaufort, and Orangeburg Counties, South Carolina.

Low Country Medical requests to extend the area to be served to statewide.

Upon review of the matters asserted in the instant request, the Commission is of the opinion that the relief sought by the Applicant should be approved.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. That the relief sought in the request for modification of Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No.7798 of Low Country Medical Transport, Inc. by changing the area to be served from between points and places in Hampton, Allendale, Colleton, Barnwell, Jasper, Bamberg, Beaufort, and Orangeburg Counties, South Carolina to between points and places in South Carolina be, and hereby is, approved.

2. That said approval is for a change in the area to be served by such Certificate but does not otherwise authorize any change in the operation of the regulated services.

3. A modified Certificate shall be issued by the Office of Regulatory Staff to the Applicant as provided herein.

4. That prior to compliance with any statutory and regulatory requirements and the receipt of an amended Certificate, the motor carrier services authorized by such Certificate may not be provided under the amendment approved herein.

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5. That this Order shall remain in full force and effect until further Order of the Commission.

BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSION:



G. O'Neal Hamilton, Chairman

ATTEST:



C. Robert Moseley, Vice Chairman

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